

REMARKS

In the Office Action mailed January 10, 2003, the Examiner raised a restriction requirement, identifying two distinct inventions, as follows:

- I. Claims 1-12, 22 and 24-29 drawn to a golf club.
- II. Claims 13-21 and 23, drawn to a method of manufacturing a golf club.

In response, Applicants hereby elect Invention II. In addition, by this Amendment, Applicants have added new claims 30-35. Claims 13-21, 23 and 30-35 are readable upon the elected invention. Also by this Amendment, Applicants have amended the Title of the Invention to reflect the restriction of the application to a method of manufacturing a golf club.

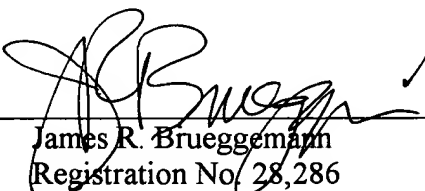
Also by this Amendment, Applicants have canceled claims 1-12, 22 and 24-29, as directed to non-elected Invention I. Applicants, of course, reserve the right to file a divisional application directed to this non-elected invention.

This application should now be in condition for substantive examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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